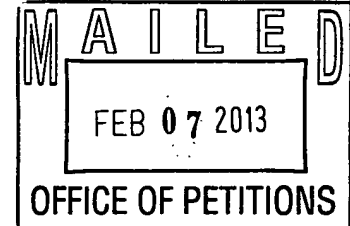




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The request is not signed by an attorney of record. However, in accordance with 37 CFR 1.34(a), the signature of Sang N. Dang appearing on the request shall constitute a representation to the United States Patent and Trademark Office that he is authorized to represent the particular party in whose behalf he acts. Therefore, since the address given in the present request differs from the correspondence address of record, a courtesy copy of this decision is being mailed to the address given in the request.

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